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## **REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 1, 2005**

Mail Stop Amendment Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Favorable reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.